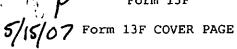
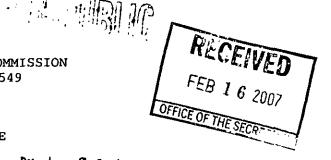
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Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager: PROCESSED
Name:         Jay N. 6itlani         OCT 18 2007           Title:         Director of Operations         OCT 18 2007           Phone:         968-704-3336         THOMSON
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